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## DEMOCRATIC ORATORY.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 8.—Democratic leaders of half a dozen States were heard tonight at the annual banquet given by the Jefferson Club of this city in celebration of Jackson day. The affair took place at the Auditorium, where covers were laid for several hundred guests. William J. Bryan was the guest of honor. Other speakers included Governor Folk and Senator W. J. Stone of Missouri, Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland, Henry M. Teller of Colorado, John W. Kern of Indiana and Judge Wade of Iowa.

## CROTHERS INAUGURATED.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 8.—Austin L. Crothers was sworn in as governor of Maryland at noon today, succeeding Edwin Warfield. The occasion was one of enthusiasm for the thousands of Democrats who came from all parts of the state to participate in the ceremonies. In his inaugural address Governor Crothers reaffirmed the ante-election pledges of his party.

## NEW YORK FRUIT GROWERS.

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Several hundred members of the New York State Fruit Growers' Association assembled in Syracuse today for their winter meeting, and were welcomed to the city by Mayor Firbes. President J. R. Cornell, of Newberg, delivered his annual address and reports were received from the other officers of the association. This afternoon, there were reports from the various standing committees, and an address by Henry M. Dunlap, of Illinois. The program for tomorrow will include addresses by Prof. Neill, of the Canadian Department of Agriculture, and Prof. S. A. Beach, of Iowa State College.

## OREGON POULTRY SHOW.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 8.—The fourteenth annual show of the Oregon State Poultry Association, which opened in this city today, is the most notable exhibition in the history of the association, both as to the number and class of birds exhibited. A leading feature of the exhibition is a comparison show, the first ever held in the Northwest. The show will continue for one week.

## ITALIAN QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

Rome, Italy, Jan. 8.—Flags flew from all the public buildings throughout Italy today and salutes were fired and bells rung out in honor of the birthday of Queen Helena, who was born on January 8, 1873, the daughter of Prince Nicholas of Montenegro. Ever since she came to Rome, nearly twelve years ago, as the bride of the Prince of Naples, now King Victor Emanuel III, her royal highness has steadily gained in favor among all classes of the population. This popularity was vastly increased by the birth of a son and heir to the throne in 1904.

## OKLAHOMA REPUBLICANS.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 8.—Members of the Republican State Committee of Oklahoma rounded up here today in response to the call of Chairman Chas. E. Hunter. The meeting is to decide upon a time and place of holding the State convention to elect the delegates to the National Republican convention; and also to decide whether the primary or convention system of electing delegates shall be adopted. Sentiment among the Republicans throughout the new state appears to be strongly in favor of Secretary Taft and it is not improbable that the Oklahoma delegates will go to Chicago pledged to vote for the nomination of the Secretary of War for the presidency.

## YEOMAN'S CASE UP AGAIN.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 8.—The case of Chief Yeoman Buenzle of the United States navy, who, while in uniform, was denied admission to a dancing pavilion at Newport in the summer of 1906, came up for a hearing today in the supreme court of Rhode Island. The case attracted much attention at the time. Many naval officers and enlisted men contributed toward the expense of the court action which followed, and President Roosevelt also took a personal interest in the matter. In November, 1906, the superior court gave a decision affirming the right of defendants, the owners of the pavilion, to exclude from their place anyone they desired to exclude. The case now comes before the supreme court on an appeal from that decision.

## COMMISSION MEN IN SESSION.

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 8.—Savannah extended a cordial welcome to the members of the National League of Commission Merchants, who began their sixteenth annual convention in this city today. President Chas. A. Muehlbronner, of Pittsburg, called the gathering to order. Delegates were in attendance from Milwaukee, Boston, Cleveland, Buffalo, St. Louis, Cincinnati and numerous other cities. In his annual address, President Muehlbronner spoke of the reforms accomplished in the commission business since the organization of the league fifteen years ago, and of the work yet to be done. Officers for the ensuing year will be chosen tomorrow.

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ENTERS INTO THE NEW YEAR WITH ABSOLUTE CONFIDENCE IN OUR ABILITY TO HANDLE THOSE MATTERS WHICH WILL BE INTRUSTED TO US WITH THE SAME SUCCESS WE HAVE HAD IN THE PAST.

WE HAVE CONFIDENCE IN OUR MERCHANTS, AND CONGRATULATE THEM UPON THE ABLE AND COURAGEOUS MANNER IN WHICH THEY HAVE MET THE SITUATION FORCED ON THIS SECTION OF THE COUNTRY BY CAUSES NOT OF THEIR MAKING.

WE HAVE CONFIDENCE IN THE FARMERS OF OUR COUNTY AND STAND WITH THEM, FIRM AND STEADFAST, IN THEIR FIGHT FOR THEIR JUST DUES FOR VALUE GIVEN.

WE ARE PROUD OF THE RECORD OF THIS BANK DURING THE YEAR PAST, TRYING AS IT WAS. WE BELIEVE THIS BANK HAS FULFILLED THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH IT IS IN EXISTENCE—TO BE OF SERVICE TO THIS TOWN AND COUNTY—AND WE REFER TO OUR PATRONS, THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN WITH US LONG, AND THE MANY NEW ONES THAT HAVE COME LATELY, WHETHER OR NOT WE HAVE GIVEN THEM GOOD TREATMENT.

WITH HOPES HIGH AND HEARTS STRONG, WE TURN RESOLUTELY TO MEET THE NEW YEAR, ASSURING OUR FRIENDS THAT WE ARE READY AND WILLING TO SERVE THEM AS THEIR ACCOUNTS WITH US ENTITLE THEM.

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ENDS  
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JAN. 17

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The Grandest Opportunity ever offered the people of Bryan and Brazos  
County to save money on Men's high Grade

## Suits, Overcoats, Trousers

### Shoes, Hats and Furnishing Goods

The almost total crop failure, combined with the money panic, has left us with the largest stock of goods on hand in the history of this store and we are compelled to unload, and unload we will, if the lowest prices ever heard of in this section of the state will do the work.

We have gone through our entire stock, not one single article has escaped the knife, in many instances cost has been entirely disregarded, especially where we have only one or two articles of a kind, have we cut deep—25 per cent off, 33 per cent off, 40 per cent off, and in some cases as low as 50 per cent off, and remember these reductions are on the highest grade of merchandise, goods that few other stores can afford to carry—no old out of date goods, but this season's new, fresh styles. There are no inflated prices for this sale, our goods are all marked in plain figures and the discounts are from our regular marked price, every reduction is a genuine one.

 All prices made during this sale are positively for Cash, and under no circumstances will goods be charged except at regular retail prices.

Below we mention just a few of the many remarkable reductions that we offer you during this sale. Remember, every single article in our store has been cut away below the regular price. Nothing reserved.



### Men's Suits

In a Store handling the large amount of Clothing we do, it is very natural that we should have a Large Stock Left On Our Hands in a season like this. We admit We Are Overloaded, and, to unload this large stock, We are going to make PRICES NEVER BEFORE OFFERED YOU On High Grade Clothing.

These "Cuts" include ALL of our Alfred Benjamin & Co. and Hart, Schaffner & Marx. Hand Tailored Suits—In fact, Every Suit in the House is Included in This Sale.

We mention below just a few of the Reductions:

Choice of our \$25.00 and \$27.50 Hand-Tailored Suits—Odd suits from our Finest Goods shown this season—Unloading Price .....

16.85

\$20.00 and \$22.50 Suits—In this season's Newest and Best Patterns—Have been piled in one lot and offered at the very Low Price of.....

12.95

All of our \$16.50 and \$18.00 Suits—In Checks, Stripes and Solid Colors, Most of them in extreme Young Men's Styles. Unloading Price .....

11.85

Our Entire Line of \$15.00 Suits for Men and Young Men—the strongest Line in the Store—Suits that can not be matched elsewhere at the Regular Price. Unloading Price .....

9.95

\$12.50 and \$13.50 Suits—Splendid Business Suits—more than worth their marked price. Priced—During this Sale at .....

8.65

Two Lots of \$10.00 Suits—Excellent Values; one a Scotch Cheviot, and the other a dark Worsted—Marked Down, During This Sale to.....

5.95

We are Overstocked on Black Suits and have Marked Them Down During This Sale to almost one-half their former price.

### Cravenettes and Overcoats

You can not afford to miss this Splendid Opportunity to get one of our fine Overcoats at these ridiculous prices. The Winter Season has just begun, and, besides, one will last you for years.

An All-Wool Black Cravenette—Full 52-inches long (rain and cold proof) a value at \$15.00. Unloading Price .....

6.95

A Splendid Grey pin-stripe Cravenette a Very Handsome Coat, formerly sold at \$15.00. Unloading Price .....

8.65

Handsomeness Black and Grey Cravenettes cut in the height of fashion and sold readily at \$15.00. Unloading Price .....

10.85

All of our fine \$20.00 overcoats and Cravenettes, go during this unloading sale at.....

12.95

Other overcoats at from 33 to 50 per cent reductions.

### Men's Shirts

Our Entire Line of "Manhattan," "Eagle" and "Emory" Shirts Included in This Sale:

All \$2.00 Colored and White Shirts At .....

1.35

All \$1.50 Colored and White Shirts At .....

1.15

All \$1.00 & \$1.25 Colored and White Shirts at .....

.79

All 50c and 75c Colored and White Shirts at .....

.39

25 per cent Reduction on our Entire Stock of fine Fancy flannel Overshirts

### Men's Hats

This is the hat store of this section. We carry the largest stock of Stetson Hats in Central Texas and offer them at greatly reduced prices during this sale.

Stetson's Boss Raw Edge Hats in all the staple shapes, sold all over the country at \$5.00 and \$6.00. Unloading price .....

3.95

Choice of our stock of Stetson novelty \$5.00 Hats. Unloading price.....

3.35

Choice of all Stetson novelty \$4.00 hats. Unloading price.....

2.65

All Princeton hats, novelties and staples, the best \$3.00 hat sold in America. Unloading price.....

1.95

Our entire stock of \$2.00 hats in all shapes cut to.....

1.45

### Men's Underwear

Buy your underwear for next winter during this sale; it will pay you to do it

Men's heavy weight fleece lined underwear, cream or light blue.....

.38

Heavy cotton ribbed; a splendid garment in cream, pink or blue.....

.38

Genuine Scrivens jeans drawers in all sizes .....

.58

Imitation Scrivens drawers.....

.39

25 per cent reduction on all our lines of high grade cotton and wool underwear

Scrivens Improved Drawers, regularly sold at \$1.00 a pair, during this sale reduced to .....

.69

### Men's Trousers

Just in time to freshen up your winter suit with a new pair of trousers at these money saving prices

Our stock includes every imaginable pattern in worsteds, casimeres and chevots

Our finest imported worsted Paragon make formerly sold at \$7.00 and \$8.00 Unloading price.....

5.85

\$5.00 and \$6.00 trousers, handsome patterns and faultless make. Unloading price.....

3.95

\$3.50 and \$4.00 trousers, splendid values and good assortment of patterns, Unloading price.....

2.85

\$2.50 and \$3.00 Trousers and well worth the money, but now.....

1.95

### Men's Shoes

All Nettleton \$6.00 bench made shoes in patent colt, gun metal and vici kid. Unloading price.....

4.65

All Stetson \$5.00 shoes in all leathers cut to.....

3.95

All \$4.00 Walk Over shoes in patent colt, gun metal calf, box calf and vici kid. Unloading price.....

3.45

All \$3.50 Walk Overs in same leathers as above.....

2.95

One special lot in odds and ends in \$4.00 Walk Overs cut.....

2.95

All \$3.00 men's shoes cut to.....

2.45

All \$2.50 men's shoes cut to.....

1.90

### Fancy Half Hose

One lot of men's fine lisle half hose fancy, up-to-date patterns, sold by us at 50 cents a pair... Unloading price 35 cents or three pair for.....

1.00

Fancy cotton half hose regular 25 cent goods during this sale.....

.19

### Neckwear

All \$1.00 neckwear .....

.69

All 50 cent neckwear.....

.39

All 25 cent neckwear .....

.19

Brighton Silk Garters.....

.18

Boston 25 cent Garters.....

.18

25 per cent discount during this sale on all Half Hose, Suspenders, Night Shirts, Pajamas, Handkerchiefs, Men's Slippers, Bath Robes, Smoking Jackets, Gloves and Fancy Vest. Special discount on Suit Cases, Traveling Bags and Umbrellas. Come early if you want choice of the best lots, they will soon be gone at the unheard of prices. Remember every article in the house is included in this sale.



# MARTIN AND EMERY'S PRODUCTION OF PARSIFAL RICHARD WAGNER'S MYSTIC FESTIVAL PLAY



MISS VIRGINIA KEATING AS KUNDRY

MR. JOHN LANE CONNOR AS PARSIFAL

SCENE FROM PARSIFAL  
**OPERA HOUSE, FRIDAY, JAN. 10**

## PARSIFAL.

An advance announcement says: One of the most promising signs of late years in connection with the drama, is the greatly increased interest shown by the better class of theater-goers in dramatic productions of a semi-religious and religious nature. Among the more notable of this class of plays may be mentioned "The Eternal City," "John the Baptist," "Sign of the Cross," "Mary of Magdala," "Ben Hur," and "Shepherd King." Each of these dramas has met with distinct favor, not only occasioned by the beauty and depth of the various themes presented, but because, also, there is no greater or more graphically dramatic material to be gained from any source than that of the Bible. The latest and

most successful of all religious dramas seen in this country, although for years past it has been witnessed in Europe, is Richard Wagner's magnificent spectacle, "Parsifal." While there is not a Biblical character seen in the production, it is essentially a grandly religious work. It is true there are some sacred objects dealt with, but they are used only as a means to an end, to attain the purpose the author desired, without in any way violating Christian truths or treading upon anyone's Christian susceptibility. It is simply a great moral drama, conceived and written by a Christian genius. In the effort to reproduce the reverential atmosphere of the original surroundings and in other details, the tradition of Baireuth will be preserved during the engage-

ment at the Opera House, Friday, Jan. 10th, except in the commencing time, which has been slightly changed. Formerly, the time of commencement was 5:30 and a two-hour intermission was given for dinner. This long intermission has been done away with, which permits of commencing the first act at 7:45; the performance concluding at 11 o'clock. The public is most earnestly requested to subscribe to the rule that everybody should be seated before the house is darkened and the first act begins. It will be impossible to seat anyone at this juncture. Ample warning will be given before the rise of the curtain on each act by a company of trumpeters who will sound a "Parsifal" motif in the theatre lobby.

## NAVAL PRISONERS TO BE RELEASED.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 8.—Alfred S. Porter, former pay clerk for Paymaster Dexter Tiffany, Jr., of the battleship Rhode Island will be released tomorrow from the United States naval prison at the Charleston navy yard, after having served a year there for larceny. The original sentence was for a longer period, but the efforts of the young man's friends secured a reduction. At the time the case was tried there was much public interest, as Paymaster Tiffany was called upon to pay the government \$15,000 or more to square the accounts of the ship.

## SPOKANE WANTS CONVENTION.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 8.—The Democratic State Executive Committee of Washington are assembled for a conference here today to discuss arrangements for the coming State convention. Spokane is working hard to secure the convention. Although the Democratic party leaders in this State have expressed no preference in regard to the presidential nomination, there is a strong feeling that Governor Johnson of Minnesota would poll a larger vote in the Northwest than any other candidate who might be named.

## LEVY'S ANNUAL CASH SALE

And Showing of Muslim Underwear. On Thursday, January 9th, which is the day Levy Bros., Dr. Goods Co. open their White Sale in Houston, I will display in my show-room samples of all Levy Undermuslins, and offer them at exactly the same prices Levy Bros. quote them at, in Houston, during their sale.

Here is an opportunity for you to select, right at your own door, from the most complete and varied assortment of Muslim Underwear ever displayed in the South.

Orders taken here will be shipped from Houston—all garments fresh and perfect; prices guaranteed identically the same as quoted by Levy Bros. during their Big White Sale.

Remember, I have the samples on display, ready to take your orders on Thursday, January 9th. Come!

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## "HANS HANSON."

An advance announcement says that "Hans Hanson" will appear at the Opera House in this city Monday night, Jan. 13, in the newest and best Swedish dialect comedy, with a superb band and orchestra, including twenty-five acting people and musicians. A feature of Hanson's performances is yodeling and whistling.

## Had Tried Electricity.

A benevolent gentleman attempted to converse with the motherly old lady who sat next to him in the railway carriage. He discovered that she was very deaf, and the conversation was established by shouting.

"You are very deaf, aren't you, madam?" ultimately bellowed he of the benevolence.

"I am so," was the reply, "and haven't been able to do a thing for it."

"Have you ever tried electricity?"

"Yes," she said, nodding vigorously.

"I was struck by lightning last summer."—London Graphic.

## How She Felt.

Stella—So you kissed the young parson in the dark hall, thinking it was your brother? You must have felt awfully cheap when you discovered your mistake. Mabel—Cheap! Why, I felt like a Friday remnant at a Monday bargain sale.—Chicago News.

## Foreign.

Doctor (after careful examination)—Some foreign substance is lodged in your eye. Dennis—Oi knowed ut! That's what Oi git f'r wurrakin' yid them Frenchmen!—Illustrated Bits.

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All \$20.00 Suits Cut to	\$14.95
All \$18.00 Suits Cut to	\$13.35
All \$15.00 Suits Cut to	\$10.85
All \$12.50 Suits Cut to	\$ 8.95
All \$10.00 Suits Cut to	\$ 7.65

## Men's Overcoats

All \$25.00 Overcoats Cut to	\$18.50
All \$20.00 Overcoats Cut to	\$14.95
All \$18.00 Overcoats Cut to	\$13.35
All \$16.50 Overcoats Cut to	\$12.85
All \$15.00 Overcoats Cut to	\$10.50
All \$12.50 Overcoats Cut to	\$ 8.95
All \$10.00 Overcoats Cut to	\$ 7.50

## Men's Pants

All \$7.50 Men's Pants Cut to	\$5.00
All Men's \$7.00 Pants Cut to	\$4.85
All \$6.00 Men's Pants Cut to	\$4.50
All \$5.00 Men's Pants Cut to	\$3.75
All \$4.00 Men's Pants Cut to	\$2.95
All \$3.50 Men's Pants Cut to	\$2.50

## Men's Underwear

All \$1.00 Suits Cut to (Per Suit)	75c
All \$2.00 Suits Cut to (Per Suit)	\$1.50
All \$2.50 Suits Cut to (Per Suit)	\$1.85
All \$3.00 Suits Cut to (Per Suit)	\$2.25
All \$3.50 Suits Cut to (Per Suit)	\$2.50

## Men's Shoes

27 Pairs of Odd Lots "Edwin Clapp" Patent Vici \$7.00 Shoes—Cut to \$4.50

## Ladies' Coats

All \$10.00 Ladies' Coats Cut to	\$6.50
All \$12.50 Ladies' Coats Cut to	\$8.50
All \$15.00 Ladies' Coats Cut to	\$9.75
All \$18.00 Ladies' Coats Cut to	\$13.35

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All \$1.00 Ladies' Kid Gloves Cut to	78c
All \$1.50 Ladies' Kid Gloves Cut to	\$1.20

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## The Daily Eagle

Entered at the Postoffice in Bryan, Texas, as second class matter.

BY CARNES & WALLACE

BRYAN, TEXAS, JANUARY 9, 1908.

Kentucky is still "The Dark and Bloody Ground." The tobacco war is raging furiously.

Dallas is spending \$100,000 on the streets and the authorities have decreed that only resident tax-payers and rent payers are to be employed.

Waco officers have stopped the "weigh" the coal dealers had for cheating their customers.

Sooner or later—the sooner the better—Brazos county farmers will find out there is good easy money in raising and preserving Magnolia figs.

Citizens of Kentucky, Democrats as well as Republicans, are circulating petitions asking Governor Wilson to pardon Caleb Powers and thus end a case of which everybody is tired.

A Chicago physician advises girls to marry round-faced men. Some of them think a hatchet-faced man will do—if he has a round-faced pocket-book.

The Texas Republic is for Fairbanks, but the Texas Republican machine is for Taft. Our money is up on the machine as a winner, though our sympathy goes with "Maj. Mose."

If the man who said "Silence is golden," had lived up to the motto, we should never have known that he thought so.

Congressman Morris Shepard preached an old-fashioned campmeeting sermon in congress Monday, talking for his text, "In God We Trust."

Attorney General Davidson has won ten successive suits in the supreme court of the United States, without losing one. It is said that this breaks all records of successful litigation in that court.

A few weeks ago W. J. Bryan praised the American donkey as deserving of high esteem on account of his amiable qualities and usefulness. Now, we shouldn't be surprised if the stuffed toy donkey proves himself the logical successor of the passing Teddy-bear—why not?

Harry Thaw's plea is emotional insanity. The fact that his sister married a titled foreigner, and from whom she is now seeking a divorce, is presumptive evidence that there is insanity in the family.

A few days ago a vessel off the New Jersey coast discovered a beautiful verdant islet, uncharted and unknown to geographers. Investigation proved that it was a small saragossa of discarded New York Christmas trees.

The position of those who object to the State and National insurance of bank deposits, on the ground that it is Hamiltonian rather than Jeffersonian, is not well taken. The fundamental principle of Jeffersonian Democracy is "The greatest good to the greatest number."

Mr. Bryan's income is said to be about \$50,000 a year, and he pays his own expenses. When he becomes president his salary will be \$50,000 a year with ample allowances for traveling and all other expenses thrown in.

One report says that the Texas delegates to the National Farmers' Union meeting at Memphis are as harmonious as love-birds, while another declares they are engaged in a three-cornered "Kilkenny cat-fight." However this may be, the union is going to stand pat on 15 cents for cotton. Also for 25 per cent reduction in acreage.

The ranks of the armies of soldiers and of teachers are becoming depleted on account of insufficient pay. The soldiers are, in a measure, useless; the teachers, one of the greatest blessings. If all the soldiers were discharged, and all the money given to the teachers, there would be joy in heaven. When soldiers are really needed, there are always plenty willing to serve, either with or without pay.

Everyone who has been in Mexico, knows that the especial pride and glory of the typical descendant of Montezuma is the sombrero, which, in shape, is a miniature copy of the peak of Popocatepetl. Those able to afford it, often pay as much as \$30 for a towering steeple of fur or fine straw, glistening with silver lace. In addition to the cost, the wearer in the State of Jolisco, must contribute to the public treasury, a tax of one peso, and must display a tag to show that the tax is paid. This is in striking contrast with "free America," which places no restriction on the length, breadth, or fluffiness of attire for the feminine head.

## PEANUT PROSPERITY.

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 8.—The lowly and neglected peanut has sprung into popular favor in Texas as a forage crop, and a wave of peanut enthusiasm is sweeping over Texas. Already two large peanut mills have been established—one in East Texas, and one at Falfurrias in this section. This latter, now building, will have a capacity of 100,000 bushels of peanuts a month, and will give employment to 100 persons. This factory announces that it will pay 75 cents a bushel for peanuts of the right variety. Arrangements have been made for the farmers in the adjacent country to plant 3,000 acres in peanuts this spring. In addition, hundreds of acres over Southwest Texas are being put into peanuts. In some localities, they are pulled up by the roots, and baled for forage, as hay or alfalfa. At other places, the hogs are turned into the peanut fields and fattened for market. As feed for hogs and mules, the peanut is considered superior to all other forage plants. As food for human beings, it is also highly nutritious. Roasted peanuts and peanut candy are common, and experiments in making peanut flour have been tried. A large St. Louis commission firm has bought a large farm near here and is raising high-grade peanuts for the market. From the commercial, the peanut has passed into the social life of Southwest Texas, and Progressive Peanut Parties are all the rage, occupying a place in popular favor analogous to euchre and bridge in other sections. The skill of the game consists in conveying peanuts upon the blade of an ordinary table knife from one part of the room to another. The peanuts are then roasted and philopenas are eaten by the young folks, with kisses as forfeits. In short, the peanut is filling a large place in Southwest Texas just now and is proving a valuable addition to the state's products.

## BRUTAL CROWN PRINCE.

Vienna, Jan. 8.—Fresh charges of outrageous conduct are being brought against the Servian crown prince, according to the latest news from Belgrade. Some days ago, it is stated, the prince visited a carpenter's shop in order to make inquiries about his motor boat which was undergoing repair. The master of the shop was absent, and as the information volunteered by assistants did not satisfy the crown prince, he abused and beat them. As a further instance of the crown prince's brutality, it is related that recently, and without apparent cause, he belabored two footmen with a hammer, one of them being very seriously injured.

## INDIANA MEMORIAL AT VICKSBURG.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 8.—Bids were received at the State capitol today for the furnishing and erection of granite monuments and markers to be erected in the Vicksburg National Military Park, in memory of the Indiana soldiers who fought and fell during the historic siege. It is proposed to erect a large monument in the park on a site close to the monuments already erected by the States of Illinois and Minnesota.

## BOB TAYLOR'S DAUGHTER.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 8.—The wedding of Miss Katherine Baird Taylor, daughter of United States Senator and Mrs. Robert L. Taylor, of Tennessee, to M. Hillman Taylor took place this afternoon at the Ebbitt House, where the Taylors are spending the winter. Only relatives and a few intimate friends were present. The bride was attended by Miss Mary Huey of Springfield, and the best man was Paul Harlon, of Trenton.

Beautiful, commodious and comfortable churches, able and eloquent preachers, the best of music and perfect weather, make a combination that cannot be excelled, and it leaves nobody an excuse for staying away from the services.—Bryan Eagle.

It is easiest thing in the world to get out of the habit of going to church. The Eagle knows this, and that is why it calls attention to the beautiful churches of Bryan.—Houston Chronicle.

It is said Japan is willing to accept concessions in the Philippines in return for restrictions on Japanese immigration to this country. If our Oriental rivals can be uncoiled into taking the blasted islands as a gracious gift, it will be one triumph of diplomacy for the Roosevelt administration.

## BATTLE OF NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, Jan. 8.—The anniversary of Gen. Jackson's defeat of the British at the battle of New Orleans was observed as a holiday today in New Orleans and throughout Louisiana. Business houses, banks and exchanges were closed, and there was a plentiful display of flags throughout the city.

The finest coffee substitute ever made, has recently been produced by Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. You don't have to boil it twenty or thirty minutes. "Made in a minute" says the doctor. "Health Coffee" is really the closest Coffee imitation ever yet produced. Not a grain of real coffee is in it, either. Health Coffee imitation is made from pure toasted cereals or grains, with malt, nuts, etc. Really it would fool an expert—were he to unknowingly drink it for Coffee. Sold by J. M. Lawrence & Co. dtf.

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Our friends and customers have our thanks for the generous patronage of the past, and we cordially invite their continued favor and the patronage of others in the future, with best wishes for one and all.

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### PASSENGER TRAIN SCHEDULES.

H. & T. C. Schedule.  
No. 3 North Bound..... 1:38 p. m.  
No. 5 North Bound..... 12:46 a. m.  
No. 2 South Bound..... 3:40 p. m.  
No. 6 North Bound..... 2:48 a. m.

I. & G. N. Schedule.  
No. 102 North Bound..... 10:50 a. m.  
No. 101 South Bound..... 4:55 p. m.

Percy Shands arrived from Waco yesterday.

J. H. Ford arrived from Millican yesterday.

Chas. Merka of Smetana was in the city yesterday.

Ernest Elliott of Tabor was in the city yesterday.

Hans Hansen at Opera House, Monday, Jan. 13.

W. H. Shelby of Reliance was in the city yesterday.

C. M. Risinger was a visitor from Harvey yesterday.

T. P. Hall of Steep Hollow was in the city yesterday.

Judge V. B. Hudson returned from Franklin yesterday.

Miss Ira Maud Camp arrived from Navasota yesterday.

Reserved Seat Sale at Cavitts for Hans Hanson, Jan. 13.

Mrs. Gus Street and baby returned to Houston yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert May returned, after a visit at Pitt Bridge.

For Sale—100-Egg Incubator \$8.00. Wiley Kelly, R. F. D. 1.

Mrs. Jno. H. Royder was a visitor from Wellborn yesterday.

Hans Hanson is a beautifully told story. Opera House Jan. 13.

A. W. Shelton was a visitor from the Brazos bottom yesterday.

For Rent—House near Free Baptist church. Apply to Jno. B. Mike.

Patronize Hunter & Chatham's Cleaning and pressing Shop, Phone 266.

George Edge and Jess Wheelers of Kurten were in the city yesterday.

Miss Bettie Lyon of Waxahachie, is the guest of Miss Kate Lawrence.

W. P. Burkhalter and J. P. Neeley were here from Wellborn yesterday.

Stone White of Mumford was in the city last night and called on the Eagle.

Patronize Hunter & Chatham's Cleaning and pressing Shop, Phone 266.

Miss Viola Prendergast of Galveston is the guest of Mrs. J. D. Ganter.

C. L. Burden and Martin James of Grimes county were in the city yesterday.

S. G. Evetts of Bedias was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Harrison yesterday.

For Rent—House, close in. Possession after Jan. 9th. Apply to Mrs. W. E. Harris.

J. K. Presnal and J. S. Smith of the Harris neighborhood were in the city yesterday.

LADIES—I make a specialty of cleaning and pressing skirts. Phone 389—E. L. Beard.

A Yellow Tag on a man's suit means \$5.00 to \$10.00 saved at Parks & Waldrop's Big Unloading Sale.

E. K. Kapchinsky, of the College community, called on the Eagle while in the city yesterday.

Miss Lena Beard returned yesterday from Tulsa, Oklahoma, accompanied by Miss Anna Pittman.

Special Low Reduction on Suits for stout and large men, at Parks & Waldrop's Big Unloading Sale.

When you want your clothes cleaned and pressed, ring phone 389, and I will send for them.—Union Tailor Shop, E. L. Beard, Prop.

Look for the Yellow Tags, they mean money to you, at Parks & Waldrop's Big Unloading Sale.

A sidewalk has been placed in front of the Hanway building, and repairs are in progress on the walks around the Smith building.

A Yellow Tag on a Stetson hat means a saving to you of from \$1.00 to \$2.00, at Parks & Waldrop's Big Unloading Sale.

For Sale—Cheap, Good four-room house, newly painted, one block from East Side school.—Mrs. Mary Lawrence.

A Yellow Tag on Men's Shirts means you get a \$1.50 shirt for \$1.15; and a \$1.00 shirt for 79c, at Park & Waldrop's Big Unloading Sale.

The orchestra carried by the Haus Hanson Co., is complete and perfectly instrumented. At Opera House Monday, Jan. 13.

A Yellow Tag on Men's Underwear means a saving of 25 per cent to you at Parks & Waldrop's Big Unloading Sale.

For Rent—At \$6 per month, four-room house and one acre of ground, well improved, one block from East Side school. See Joe Greelan.

A Yellow Tag on a pair of Men's Shoes means a saving of about 25 per cent to you, at Parks & Waldrop's Big Unloading Sale.

Phone 266 if you have any clothing to be cleaned or pressed, and Hunter & Chatham will send for them and deliver them to you. All work guaranteed and strictly cash.

Look to the Yellow Tags; they mean a saving to you of from 25 to 50 per cent, at Parks & Waldrop's Big Unloading Sale.

Let Hunter & Chatham do your Cleaning and Pressing for you—they have opened up a shop in connection with their store and will guarantee satisfaction. Ring No. 266 and we will send for your clothes. All work strictly cash.

Mrs. E. H. Astin has been called to Fort Worth on account of the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Dillard, who is under treatment at a sanitarium in that city.

A Yellow Tag on an Overcoat means that you can get one of the finest Men's Cravenette's or Overcoats at the price of a cheap one, at Parks & Waldrop's Big Unloading Sale.

### IS A BIG SUCCESS.

Parks & Waldrop's Unloading Sale—A Merchandising Event, Had Great Run Yesterday.

Parks & Waldrop's Big Unloading sale which includes everything in the house, marked down in plain figures, opened yesterday morning at 9 o'clock and the early callers who flocked into the store found the Yellow Tags displayed by the thousands and attached to every article in the house. On these marked-down prices are displayed in bold figures, while the original price is also shown on the tag on each article in plain figures. The proprietors, clerks and extra force of salesmen got busy at once and were kept moving by the constant stream of customers who visited the store during the day. The run on fine suits and overcoats was particularly noticeable, the prices on these goods proving exceedingly attractive. The sales yesterday were highly gratifying and exceeded the expectations of the enterprising firm. Many ladies were present making purchases for male members of the family who were too busy to come. The fact that everything in the house is included in the sale makes the event one of interest to everybody and accounts for the further fact that this is proving the greatest sale ever inaugurated by this store. It continues for ten days.

### GOLF CLUB MEETING.

Members Will Meet Tonight With Miss Alberta Adams. Interest Renewed.

Interest has been revived in the Bryan Golf Club by the arrival of all the paraphernalia, and the club members will enjoy the first games Saturday afternoon on the splendid course just east of town. There are probably no better links in the state. There will be several accessions to the membership with the beginning of the play.

The club will hold an important meeting tonight at 8 o'clock with Miss Alberta Adams.

### MARRIED AT MUMFORD.

Mr. J. H. Jones of this city and Miss Zula Jackson were united in marriage at Mumford yesterday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. White, Rev. G. A. Foster of this city officiating. Relatives and a few friends witnessed the ceremony, and congratulations were showered upon the young couple, who received a number of presents.

The bride is a daughter of Dr. J. D. Jackson of Tunis, and is a lovable and accomplished young lady who has many friends in this city. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Jones of Bryan, a young man of excellent character and held in high esteem.

Among those present at the marriage from this city were, Mrs. S. C. Williams, Miss Lizzie Zuber and Miss Mr. Jones has acquired property near Mumford and he and his bride will begin housekeeping there at once.

### MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Cotton—Bryan; middling, 10%; good middling, 11c.  
Galveston—middling, 11%.  
New York—middling, 11.30.  
Liverpool—middling, 6.10d.  
Corn—Bryan; ear corn from wagon, 65c; mixed, sacked, 68c.  
Cattle—Bryan; cows, \$2; calves, \$2.50.  
Fort Worth—  
Ordinary steers around \$3.50; good to best, \$4 to \$4.90; cows, \$2.35 to \$3.40; calves—one fine lot of veals sold for \$5.60, the highest price since last June.  
Hogs—Bryan, \$3.50.  
Ft. Worth—\$4 to \$4.50.  
Poultry—Bryan, hens \$3; good fryers, \$3; turkeys, 7c per lb.  
Galveston—hens, \$4 to \$4.50; fryers, \$2 to \$3; turkeys, 11c to 13c.  
Butter—Bryan, 15c.  
Galveston—country butter, 15 to 18c.  
Eggs—Bryan, 15c.

### SPLENDID PRAYER SERVICE.

The union-week of prayer meetings are growing in interest and in the number in attendance. The service was held last night at the Baptist church and the auditorium was filled. The service was led by Rev. J. J. Tatum, the theme being, "The Church Made Truly Glorious." Excellent talks were also made by F. M. Law, Jas. J. Ray, Prof. C. M. Bethany, and J. F. Mitchell. Dr. Geo. B. Butler will lead the meeting with the Christian church tonight at the Courthouse.

The program for the remainder of the week is as follows:

Thurs., Jan. 9.—Christian Church. Subject—"Missions, Home and Foreign."

Friday, Jan. 10.—Presbyterian Ch. Subject—"Intemperance, the Master Social Curse."

Sat., Jan. 11.—Methodist Church. Subject—"Christian Unity."

### WAGNER & BRANDON'S SALE

Wagner & Brandon have a half-page ad. in the Eagle this morning, announcing a 25 per cent reduction from the regular price on all mens' and boys' suits, overcoats and trousers.

### 74th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

Children and Grandchildren, And a Few Friends Entertained by Mr. A. Hensarling.

Mr. A. Hensarling celebrated his 74th birthday yesterday, and, following a custom which has prevailed for many years, Mr. and Mrs. Hensarling gave a dinner in honor of the event to the children and grandchildren, a few friends being also invited. A sumptuous repast was prepared under the direction of Mrs. Hensarling and was greatly enjoyed. The venerable host was remembered with a number of presents. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Hensarling, J. L. Hensarling and family, T. A. Hensarling, and R. L. Buchanan and family of Steep Hollow, G. B. Hensarling and family of Wellborn, P. H. Hensarling and family, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Harrison, Mr. C. A. Patterson, Mr. Joe Benson, Mrs. Vandiver, Mrs. R. M. Wilson, Mrs. Christian, Julius Christian.

### MAGIC DRAWS LARGE CROWD.

Performance in Levy Bros.' Show Window is Entertaining to Many.

Quite a large crowd collected in front of Levy Bros.' window yesterday afternoon to witness the famous magician, Mme. Rheda, perform Japanese sleight of hand. Many remarkable and seemingly impossible feats were performed, among them Madame Herman's famous billiard ball trick, the growing of a rosebush before the very eyes, vanishing of a handkerchief, greenback or flag, handkerchief made to change color, card and hat trick and many others.

Mme. Rheda will perform in the window and also on the second floor every day this week, except Wednesday. The performance is absolutely free and all are invited.

There is something about the art of magic that is fascinating, and the more confused the auditor the more interesting he becomes; so when such an exhibition is offered it attracts many. Levy Bros. offer the attraction to their patrons as something for pastime during the holiday season, and the many who attended indicate how much it was appreciated.—Houston Post.

Mme. Rheda will give the above exhibitions in Parks & Waldrop's show window today and tomorrow at the hours of—

11 A. M.; and 2, 3, and 4:30 P. M. The public is invited to call and see them, free.

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Many are now enjoying the benefits from Life Insurance that would not if not for my efforts.

Joe B. Reed

### BRALLEY RESIGNS.

Chief Clerk in Educational Department Retires.

Austin, Jan. 8.—Professor F. M. Bralley, chief clerk in the department of public instruction has resigned his position. He has accepted the position of general agent of the Methodist conferences for education in Texas. State Superintendent Cousins announced the appointment of F. M. Martin, president of John Tarlton college at Stephenville, to succeed Professor Bralley.

The state penitentiary board met here Wednesday. Report of Superintendent Herring for December shows 3,512 convicts on hand Dec. 1; new reserved, 116; returned by sheriffs, 1; discharged, 65; pardoned, 50; escaped, 3; died, 6; delivered to sheriffs, 5; on hand Jan. 1, 3,500. Fourteen are in insane asylums. Financial agent's report shows amount on hand Dec. 1, \$6,509; receipts during month, \$68,049; disbursements, \$61,435; balance on hand Jan. 1, \$13,125.

The railroad commission received nine petitions and letters regarding proposed reduction of passenger fares. One petition from Celina contains seventy names favoring reduced fares; two petitions from Brownwood. One from Wolfe City, numerous others signed, oppose any reduction and others were letters from Paris and Leamont opposing any reduction.

### SPRINGS FIRST SURPRISE.

Defense Summoned Several Expert Witnesses at Former Trial.

New York, Jan. 8.—The defense in the case of Harry K. Thaw sprung its first great surprise on the second trial Wednesday by announcing it had issued subpoenas for several expert witnesses who testified for the prosecution at the first hearing a year ago, and who when, District Attorney Jerome applied for a lunacy commission made affidavit that in their opinion Thaw, at the time of the injury, was suffering from an incurable form of insanity.

These same doctors, however, previously testified on the witness stand, in response to Mr. Jerome's famous hypothetical question, that they believed Thaw knew what he was about when he shot and killed Stanford White on Madison Square Roof Garden. This move is intended by the defense as a block to the prosecution by putting these same doctors on the stand, and is taken by some as showing a determination that Thaw shall not be convicted, even with the danger of a stay in the asylum for the criminal insane at Mattewan as an alternative.

Predictions are freely made that the jury will not be secured before the middle or latter part of next week.

### ATROCIOUS CRIMES.

Mother Killed and Infant Roasts In Flames.

Lawrenceville, Ga., Jan. 8.—Two negroes, John Hudson and Henry Campbell, are in jail here charged with having murdered Hudson's wife and then setting the house on fire in an attempt to hide their crime. When neighbors arrived they found the remains of Mrs. Hudson and three months' old child in the flames. After the bodies had been removed it was found that the woman had been stabbed to death, while the child was left to perish in the flames.

### To Be Voted Upon.

Fort Worth, Jan. 8.—The city commission voted to submit to the people at an election next May the question of issuing \$150,000 city bonds for school and street improvements.

### HARDY MAKES MAIDEN SPEECH.

Shortly after noon today Judge Rufus Hardy, the new congressman from Corsicana, made his maiden speech on Inland Waterway Protection. Judge Hardy went into the subject thoroughly and lucidly, and spoke in behalf of his measure seeking to bring about cooperation between railways and inland waterways and to prevent discrimination by railways in favor of river points in order to kill inland transportation. The members gave the speaker hearty applause and congratulations at the conclusion of his remarks.—Houston Post, Washington Special.

### WEBB BROS.' SALE.

Webb Bros.' sale on clothing, overcoats, pants, underwear, etc., opened yesterday with an excellent patronage and will continue ten days. Some exceptionally fine values are being offered.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following: J. H. Jones and Miss Zula Jackson; Tom Venters and Elmon Johnson; Ernest Wiese and Annie Lockstedt; Wash Thompson and Matilda Banks.

NOTICE—I have moved my Tailor Shop from rear of Hunter & Chatham's to front rooms over E. J. Fountain's Grocery Store, where I will be in the future. I am now better situated and can give the public better service than before. Your business in my line is solicited and will be appreciated. Phone 389.—E. L. Beard.

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## THANK YOU

I desire to thank my friends for a very successful year, notwithstanding the fact a part of the year has been characterized by very serious financial depression. I desire to extend to each and every one my best wishes for a joyous Christmas and happy New Year.

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## LISBON SOCIETY SCANDAL.

Paris, France, Jan. 8.—A dispatch from Lisbon says that a remarkable scandal has arisen in the highest society there, following a discovery recently made by fishermen on the seashore near the city. The men were going to their work at an early hour when they heard a feeble cry which seemed to come from the ground beneath their feet. Being superstitious, they were about to flee from the spot when suddenly one of them came upon the cause of the sound. It was a baby, two months old, partially buried in the sand. The little one was taken to the nearest police station and inquiries were instituted which led to the discovery of a domestic drama in the highest Portuguese society.

The mother of the child is well known and during the absence of her husband, on service in the Portuguese African colonies, she had become entangled in a love intrigue. When she heard of her husband's impending return, she set to work to hide her disgrace. Whether she personally deposited the child in the sand or not is not known, but the affair has caused a great sensation in spite of the efforts of her relatives, who are influentially connected, to hush the matter up.

## KEITH'S SILVER ANNIVERSARY.

New York, Jan. 8.—Benjamin F. Keith, the originator of the "continuous performance," and the controlling factor in the vaudeville field in America, celebrated today the twenty-fifth anniversary of his entrance into the amusement business. Mr. Keith's first enterprise was a miniature dime museum which he opened in Boston, January 8, 1883. His show place was an ordinary store room and his only attraction was "Baby Alice," a midget. Today Mr. Keith has one or more vaudeville theaters in Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Columbus, and numerous other cities. His booking office supplies the attractions for practically all the first-class vaudeville houses in the United States; and recently the strength of the combination of which he is the head was shown in the rout of the Klaw & Erlanger people in one of the most disastrous theatrical wars that has ever taken place.

## HEINZE IN COURT.

### Has Privilege to Withdraw Not Guilty Plea.

New York, Jan. 8.—F. Augustus Heinze, who was arrested charged with over-certification of checks while president of the Mercantile National bank, entered a plea of not guilty, when arraigned before Judge Chatfield in the United States court. Through



FRITZ AUGUSTUS HEINZE.

his counsel, Mr. Heinze reserved the right to withdraw the plea of not guilty and demur to the indictment any time before Jan. 20. Bail bond of \$50,000, which Mr. Heinze furnished after his arrest, was allowed to stand.

### SCHOONER WRECKED.

#### Five of Her Crew of Seven Men Lost Their Lives.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 8.—A broken message received here over the United States seacoast telegraph wires from Cape Hatteras, on the North Carolina coast, reports the stranding and loss on treacherous Diamond shoals of an unknown schooner and her crew of seven men, five perished. The message, which fails to give the name of the lost vessel, reports her to have been a schooner bound from Longpoint, Me., to Charleston, S. C., laden with fish scrap. The captain was among those lost.

### ASSIGNEE IN CHARGE.

#### Large Department Store Has Tremendous Indebtedness.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—The big department store on Market street which went under the name of Kragens, has gone into the hands of assignee nominated by the Board of Trade. The firm is reported to be in debt to any extent from \$250,000 to \$400,000. Principal creditors are in the east. The Board of Trade nominated C. R. Havens as assignee. Value of assets is unknown.

### SPREAD TERROR.

#### Two Masked Highwaymen Do Much Mischief in St. Louis County.

St. Louis, Jan. 8.—Two masked highwaymen spread terror through St. Louis county, killing August Bons, a bartender, holding up a suburban electric car and robbing the passengers and forcing three men into the ice box of a saloon after their pockets had been looted. One arrest has been made.

### Numerous Employees Laid Off.

New Orleans, Jan. 8.—Between 3,000 and 4,000 Illinois Central railroad employees have been dropped from the company's payrolls on account of the financial situation. This was the announcement here last night by J. T. Harahan, president of the Illinois Central. Mr. Harahan said that if he could possibly prevent it no more men would be laid off.

### Diamond Dealer Embarrassed.

New York, Jan. 8.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Louis Witzgenhausen, wholesale diamond dealer in Maiden Lane, by creditors. Robert L. Harrison was appointed receiver. Nominal assets are in the neighborhood of \$200,000. Liabilities, it is said, will probably not be less than \$150,000.

### Oppose Llewellyn.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Mayor Sweeney and D. J. Happer of El Paso are here protesting against the appointment of former Governor Llewellyn of Mexico to succeed General Mills on the international boundary commission.

### Secure Much Cash.

Ottawa, Kan., Jan. 8.—Robbers wrecked the safe of the State bank of Quenamo, near here, with dynamite, and escaped with contents, estimated at between \$7,000 and \$8,000.

### Suicide by Shooting.

New York, Jan. 8.—Charles W. Whitney, thirty-eight years old, a member of the stock exchange, suicided at his residence by shooting himself.

### Three May Expire.

Pittsburg, Jan. 8.—Five Italians had a fight in Stowe township. Three may die. Others were arrested.

### John Boyd Hanged.

Toronto, Jan. 8.—John Boyd, a negro, was hanged here Wednesday for the murder of another negro.

### Three Dead.

Atlanta, Jan. 8.—Three persons died as the result of the wreck of a special train from Cleveland, O., near Hiram, Ga., up to noon Wednesday.

## NO WAR WITH AMERICA

### Brown Men Have Plenty Now to Keep Them Busy.

### NOT LOOKING WESTWARD

Complications That Are Ever Arising in China and the Spirit of Unrest in the Hermit Kingdom Are Enough at This Time For Japan.

Paris, Jan. 8.—The Echo de Paris prints an interview emanating, it is said, from an "authorized Japanese source, with the object of showing that Japan is so absorbed with the mainland of Asia that war with America is impossible." The entire attention of Japan," says the interview, "is occupied with China and Korea, where developments are occurring which are giving Tokyo the greatest concern. China has just dismissed a number of Japanese instructors, who have been replaced with Germans. The Manchurian situation is full of complications of application the treaty of Portsmouth, which will deprive Japan of the possibility of exercising an efficacious influence in Manchuria."

Japan opposes the extension of the Pekin railroad to Foukomei by way of Hsirimintun on the ground that the Pekin agreement of 1905 stipulated that should China not construct a parallel line injurious to Japanese interests.

The Japanese occupation of Korea is also meeting with much opposition and for this and other occasions Japan is actively pushing the work of increasing her armaments. The message of the emperor of Japan clearly indicates that his country is looking to the far east and not in the direction of America.

### TO ASSIST FARMERS.

#### Important Resolution Prevails in the Memphis Convention.

Memphis, Jan. 8.—An important resolution will, it is declared, be unanimously indorsed by the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative union, which is holding a series of executive sessions here at its annual convention. The resolution authorizes the national legislative committee of the body, backed by the various state organizations, to arrange the introduction of a bill in congress calling for the enactment of a law authorizing the national treasury to assist the farmers during times of panic by means of bond issues. Many delegates say the aid extended various banks by the government will indirectly aid merchants generally and such aid should be extended to the farmers. The convention was called to order behind closed doors. Various committees were appointed and are working at the different headquarters.

At this session the question of reduction of cotton acreage were discussed, and it is believed action will be taken calling cotton planters of the south to reduce acreage at least one-third.

### PROHIBITION SENTIMENT.

#### Senator Clay Wants Test Made of Senate on Matter.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The subject of prohibition was under discussion a short time in the senate Tuesday, during which Senator Clay announced that he proposed to have a vote to determine just how the senate stands on that question. Mr. Clay brought up this subject by a resolution directing the committee on judiciary to report at the earliest convenient day a bill providing that all intoxicating liquors transported into any state or territory or remaining therein for use, shall, upon arrival within the borders of such state, "or before or after delivery to the consignee, be subject to the operation of all state laws enacted in the exercise of police power to the same extent as though such liquors had been produced within such state or territory, and shall not be exempt by reason of being introduced in original packages or otherwise."

### ON OWN HOOK.

#### People's Party Decides to Go It Alone in Oklahoma.

Guthrie, Jan. 8.—Declaring that the Democratic party, with which they had fused, had failed to carry out a single agreement, the People's party of Oklahoma was reorganized by the state central commission, and after voting to send delegates to the national convention, instructed for Fred W. Jacobs of Oklahoma for the presidential nomination, and decided to nominate full county, state and national tickets at all elections.

Under the enabling act and the Oklahoma constitution the People's party is made a constitutional party in the state.

### Three Measures of Stephens.

Washington, Jan. 8.—In the house Congressman Stephens introduced a bill to appropriate \$100,000 for a public building at Vernon, another to give \$25,000 for a fish hatchery in the Thirteenth congressional district and a third providing for the appointment of a commission to revise the postal laws.

### For Galveston Barracks.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Representative Gregg introduced in the house a bill appropriating \$391,660 for barracks at Galveston fortifications.

### Administrative Quarter.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Fort Crockett is to be made administrative quarters of Galveston forts.

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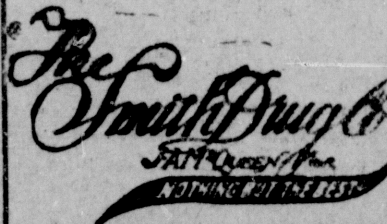
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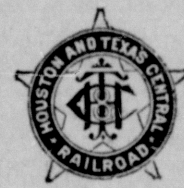
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